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Mr. J.G. Turner
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RE: Stauffer Chemical Company
Vernal Operations
ACT/047/007
Uintah County, Utah

Dear Mr. Turner:

Thank you for your letter of February 23, 1981 regarding Chevron's tentative takeover of the above referenced operation.

Chevron's request for the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining to reassign the reclamation contract with Stauffer Chemical Company to Chevron Resources Company will be presented to the Board for consideration at its March 26-27, 1981 executive session.

Chevron's commitment to assume duties and responsibilities formerly assumed by Stauffer Chemical Company under its approved Notice of Intention and Mining and Reclamation Plan is hereby recognized by the Division.

Following the Board's decision, you will be notified of any additional measures to be taken to complete the transfer procedure. Should you have any questions, please feel free to call.

Sincerely,

JAMES W. SMITH, JR.
COORDINATOR OF MINED LAND RECLAMATION

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